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McCone's queries of McMillan were not answered fully
~~SM. A; X~~, in all cases and Dr. Wheelon recommended that,
if the DCI is to exert a significant influence over the NRP,
he must continue to withhold approval of specific line items
until a really complete and satisfactory explanation is in
hand for each. Acceptance of even some partial answers or
oblique responses will only dilute the only remaining equity
CIA holds in framing the NRP, i.e. the position of the DCI.

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ADW to DCI - Briefing Note

Program A and Program D FY 1965 budget allowed under
President's Budget without exception allowed under the
NRO tentative program. Program B tentative program
required to justify -- feel Program B
being subjected to unnecessary justification while A and D
getting all requirements.

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NRO review(s) completed.